

IN THE SENATE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 142

BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

STATING LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS AND RECOGNIZING AND HONORING KAITLYN FARRINGTON FOR HER PERFORMANCE IN THE 2014 WINTER OLYMPICS.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington was born and raised in the heart of Idaho; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington learned to ski and snowboard on the slopes of Mt. Baldy in Ketchum; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington is a Bellevue native who began snowboarding with the Sun Valley Ski Education Foundation (SVSEF) and is a SVSEF Gold Team rider; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington won the Silver Medal in the 2008 Junior World Championships; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington won gold and silver at the X Games in 2010 and 2011; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington was the overall Dew Tour champion in 2010 and earned the Silver and Gold Medals at the Dew Tours in 2011 and 2012; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington was the overall U.S. Grand Prix champion in 2012; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington won the Bronze Medal at the 2013 World Cup; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington won the Gold Medal in women's snowboard halfpipe at the XXII Olympic Winter Games in Sochi, Russia; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington has devoted her life to being a world-class snowboarder; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington has achieved her goals with inspiring success; and

WHEREAS, Kaitlyn Farrington has been an ambassador for Idaho and shown the world how to "Cowgirl Up."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Second Regular Session of the Sixty-second Idaho Legislature, the Senate and the House of Representatives concurring therein, that we recognize and honor Kaitlyn Farrington for her superior sportsmanship and conduct, her Gold Medal winning performance at the 2014 Winter Olympics in Sochi, Russia, and for the pride she brings to Idaho and America.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate forward a copy of this resolution to Kaitlyn Farrington.